CHECKLIST FOR REDEEMING **WIC COUPONS**

- The ID/VOC Folder or Proxy Information on the ID/VOC Folder must be presented at the beginning of every transaction.
- WIC coupons cannot be used before the "starting date" or after midnight on the "expiration date".
- Make sure the foods selected are WIC authorized.
- The total actual dollar amount of the WIC food items purchased must be entered on the coupon in black ink by the cashier.
- The authorized person or proxy must **sign** and **date** the coupon after the dollar amount is entered.
- The signature on the coupon must match the signature on the ID/VOC Folder or Proxy Information on the back of the ID/VOC Folder.
- Rain checks are not allowed.
- Manufacturers' coupons and any store promotions may be used with WIC coupons, including free food.

TO REPORT ANY WIC PROGRAM ABUSE CALL THIS TOLL-FREE HOT LINE:

1-800-CALL-WIC

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FOOD CARD

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MILK

- Whole Milk
- Reduced Fat Milk (2%)
- Low Fat Milk (1% or 1/2%)
- Fat Free Milk (skim)
- Buttermilk

ALLOWED ONLY IF LISTED ON THE COUPON

- Powdered (nonfat dry)
- Evaporated (whole or skim)
- Goat's Milk
- LACTOSE REDUCED MILK
- o Dairy-Ease (all types)
- Lactaid (all types) C.F. Burger Creamery Lactose Reduced Milk (all types)
- o C.F. Burger Creamery Calcium-Fortified Lactose Reduced Milk (all types)
- Dean's Easy (all types white only)
 • Calcimilk

NOT ALLOWED

- Flavored Milk (chocolate, strawberry) • Sov Milk
- Organic or Value Added Milk (Kid's Milk, Fit Milk)
- Vitamite
- Glass Bottles

EGGS



- Grade A or AA
- Small, Medium and Large Only

NOT ALLOWED

- Extra Large and Jumbo
- Brown Eggs
- Free Range, Low Cholesterol, Organic or Pasteurized Eggs
- Eggland's Best, Gold Circle Farms or Good News Eggs

DRY PEAS, BEANS, LENTILS





- 16 oz. package
- Any type

LENTIL

- **NOT ALLOWED**
- Barzi Beans
- Packages with seasoning packets

PEANUT BUTTER



• 18 oz. Jar only

NOT ALLOWED

- Health Valley, Arrow Head Mills or Fifty50
- Peanut Butter mixed with jelly, marshmallow or other flavoring
- Reduced fat peanut butter or peanut spread

FOR BREASTFEEDING WOMEN

(not receiving formula for an infant)

REMEMBER: Breastfeeding is the best for you and your baby.



CARROTS



Fresh or canned sliced carrots in water

NOT ALLOWED

- Baby or fingerling carrots
- Frozen carrots

TUNA



 Low sodium tuna Foil Packs

- Lunch packs/kits of tuna
- · Chunk white tuna

NOT ALLOWED

• Albacore tuna

 Canned chunk light tuna in water or oil

CEREAL These brands only. They have the iron you need.

COLD CEREALS • 11 OUNCE BOX OR LARGER • Cereals with (*) provide 100% of daily folic acid.



Cheerios Plain or Multi Grain only



Total only*



Corn Flakes Special K Plain only Plain only*





Kix Plain only



Rice Chex



Multi Bran Chex' Wheat Chex*



Honey Bunches of Oats, Honey Roasted



Honey Bunches of Oats, Almond

ALLOWED

CRISP/CRISPY

RICE BRANDS: America's Choice Best Yet IGA*

Kroger²

Meijer

Shurfine

Spartan



Banana Nut Crunch



King Vitaman*

HOT CEREALS



Frosted Mini-Wheats,

All Varieties,

except Maple and

Brown Sugar

Life Plain only*



Bran Flakes

Squares Plain only*



Crisp/Crispy Rice

Regular Flavor Instant



Individual serving

Cereals with (*) provide 100% of daily folic acid.

Individual serving packets only. Any Flavor



packets only, Instant (Regular flavor only)

Vermont Style Oatmeal only

ALLOWED BRANDS: America's Choice Great Value, Kroger, Meijer,

Our Family,

Roundys, Spartan ALSO ALLOWED: WOMEN AND CHILDREN MAY ALSO BUY 8 OZ. INFANT CEREAL WITHOUT FRUIT WHEN CEREAL IS LISTED ON COUPON.

WAYS TO BUY UP TO 36 OUNCES OF CEREAL

You may combine cereal up to a total of 36 ounces per month.



28 oz. box only







14 oz. box, or

28 oz. box.

individual packets

of Original Flavor





Original or

Chocolate only















100% JUICE JUICES - 46 OUNCES/UNSWEETENED



Any flavor plastic

Apple juice

only

Any flavor

with vellow

peel strip

100% juice

Orange Juice

Any brand

100% juice



plastic

100% juice

Any brand



Any type except V8 Splash, no



100% Juice

FROZEN CONCENTRATE JUICES - 11.5 OZ.

or pineapple

blends

100% juice

Any brand

100% juice

NON-FROZEN CONCENTRATES - 11.5 OZ.

Look in the canned juice aisle.

JUICE COMBINATIONS

JUICE CONCENTRATE

Any flavor

with vellow

100% juice

= 2 Juice

JUICE

Plastic or can

100% juice

Any brand



Purple or white only, plastic or can

ALLOWED 100%

HAWAIIAN

BRANDS:

America's Choice,

IGA, Kroger,

Meijer, Our

Family, Shurfine,

SUPERVALUE



100% Hawaiian

U.S.A. on the lid

Orange and

orange blends

100% juice

DESCRIPTION.

Distance of the last

Any flavor

Old Orchard

100% juice

= 2 Juice

Any flavor

with vellow

100% juice

JUICE CONCENTRATE 11.5 to 12 oz.

= 2 Juice

 Swiss **ALLOWED**

• Muenster

• American

• Cheddar Colby

• Brick

• 8 oz. or 16 oz. package only

• Mozzarella (string, part skim, whole)

• Colby Jack (Cojack)

Monterey Jack

- U.S. made prepackaged cheese
- Slices without individual wrapping
- Low sodium and low fat cheese of any of the above cheeses



CHEESE



NOT ALLOWED

- Individual wrapped cheese slices or sticks
- Cheese foods, products,
- whips or spreads
 Shredded, grated, cubed or smoked cheese
- Velveeta or Cracker Backers
- Cheese with pimentos, jalapeno pepper, caraway seeds, meat, etc.
- Farmers cheese
- Organic cheese Cheese curds

INFANT FORMULA

Buy only the exact type and size container of formula listed on your WIC coupon. For example:

If the coupon reads "Similac with Iron" you must buy



If the coupon reads "Isomil with Iron" yo



If your physician changes your formula, you must obtain WIC clinic approval and receive new coupons in order to buy the new formula.

INFANT CEREAL

- Beechnut, Del Monte, Gerber and Heinz dry infant cereal without fruit. CHOOSE: Rice, Oatmeal, Barley, Mixed
- Buy 8 oz. package only



INFANT JUICE



- Any brand or type 100% pure juice
- Multi packs allowed

NOT ALLOWED • Infant juice with yogurt

Tender Harvest